Application No. 09/939,509 Amendment dated May 4, 2006 Reply to Office Action of January 4, 2006 **PATENT**

STATUS OF CLAIMS

Applicants note that this listing of claims is provided for the Examiner's convenience and clarification.

Claims 1 through 20: Pending (and stand allowed in their original un-amended form).

Claim 21: Cancelled.

Claim 22: Pending (previously amended).

Claim 23: Pending (previously amended and stands allowed).

Claim 24: Pending (un-amended and stands allowed).

Claim 25: Pending (previously amended).

Claims 26 through 35: Pending (and stand allowed in their original unamended form).

Claim 36: Pending (previously amended).

Claim 37: Pending (previously amended).

Claim 38: Pending (previously amended).

Claim 39: Pending (un-amended and stands allowed).

Claim 40: Pending (previously amended).

Claim 41: Pending (previously added, un-amended, and stands allowed).

Claims 42-47: Pending (previously added and un-amended)